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"They have taken the law out of Law-rence again."

The anti-prohibition backfire in Michigan burned itself out.

Looks as if we might need a peace conference at Montpelier.

All the 800 "red fronts" in the country will wear a black border for a time in memory of their founder.

With the same foolhardiness with which he dashed against the French at Verdun, the former crown prince of Germany tried to run down a gate while riding on a motorcycle—and the results were the same. Will this young man never learn?

Talk about "open diplomacy"! Here are these United States of ours telling the world that we are going after two important islands guarding the eastern entrance to the Panama canal. The world must stand aghast at such ingenuitism.

How dearly some people love to command! For instance, here is Rear Admiral (Dr.) Grayson relating in the public print that "by my direction" President Wilson went to bed and was thus saved a serious attack of influenza. He did not let the people read between the lines to show his influence, but he had to say "by my direction."

April 25 will be a real day in the annals of New England, and Boston will see such a throng of people as it has not seen in years. Those people who have relatives in and around Boston will consider themselves especially fortunate at this time, for it means entertainment when entertainment at the Boston hotels and boarding-houses will be almost out of the question.

It does seem to be about time for Germany to begin paying that indemnity, but, on the other hand, the indemnity cannot really be demanded by the allies until the treaty of peace is formally signed, the treaty document being the instrument to stipulate the amount to be paid. Therefore, if some of the allies are getting anxious to receive the initial payments, it is proper for them to accelerate the peace conferences among themselves.

A visitor from the other end of the state informs us that we have more snow here than over his way. Ha. Burlington putting over something again.—Burlington News.

Yes, and, besides, Burlington has been robbing Northfield recently of the distinction of being the "coldest place in the country." Moreover, Burlington has put on the first unopposed Sunday "movies" in the state. Notoriety is certainly piling up for Burlington.

"Japan wants a square deal in the Orient." It seems that Japan wants pretty much everything that is lying around loose, and some that isn't. Perhaps Japan will tell the waiting world why it wasn't more ready to sacrifice something during the war to get recognition as a real member of the alliance against the central powers. That is something which never has been satisfactorily related. It may be that the various surmises are doing Japan an injustice and that the truth would set things to rights. If so, it would not be amiss, perhaps, for Japan, while she is making so many claims here, there and elsewhere, to state to the world just why she did not take a more active part in the war, whether she was, in fact, held back by Great Britain, or whether there was some other reason.

THE SOUTH MAIN ST. MUDHOLE.

Probably no more justified complaint has been made to the Barre city council in months than the petition presented last night by persons residing in the south end asking for relief from well-nigh intolerable conditions of travel on that section of South Main street running from the southerly end of the granite pavement to the foot of the Jockey Hollow hill. This is a dirt highway—that is, when it is not mud. Unfortunately, it is quite apt to be mud at many seasons of the year, chiefly, of course, in the spring when the frost is coming out of the ground. Each spring it is nothing short of a quagmire, and this spring it is even worse, with the mud and slime oozing out over the slight apology for a sidewalk which skirts the westerly edge of the swamp. Added to all those disgraceful conditions is the fact that the narrow wooden bridge, which occupies part of the strip of road, forces pedestrians and vehicles of all kinds down into a restricted area of mud-laden boards, slippery, slimy and foul-smelling. Efforts to improve the highway, or even to keep it in its normally poor condition, seem to have been held up, perhaps because of the idea that permanent improvement of the highway is held in abeyance until the state of the city's finances is more suitable to undertake the project.

But in the meantime, the people who dwell in the south end should not be compelled to wallow through mud "al-

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most knee deep," as the petition stated, in order to get to and from their work, or to the business district. It should be possible to remedy some of the trouble and to make the highway reasonably passable without going into any permanent work and without making a great outlay of money. If a few tons of the mud which have been carted on the highway, particularly on the south side of the bridge, could be removed and then be replaced with granite chips for a foundation, and gravel on top of them, a road that would be decent for a time at least would be provided. Until such time as the permanent road is built, the council ought to grant some relief from miserable conditions, especially since this is part of the main highway through the city. To pass from the smooth, clean granite pavement onto this mudhole is like going from a well-ordered city into a community that is slovenly in the extreme; and it has the depressing effects on the mind that come from such a transition, to say nothing of the harmful effects on the public health.

CURRENT COMMENT

Let Europe Go Back to Work.

The quickest way, perhaps the only way, to quench red riot, in Hungary, in Poland, in Germany—in all Europe—is to get men back to work, get communities back to work, get nations back to work. While the Paris conference delays the peace treaty interminably and uselessly they cannot go back to work.

Mr. Wilson has insisted that his league of nations was more important than the peace treaty. From the day he set foot in Paris he has held the treaty aside to give the right of way to his league. His argument has been that if the world did not have his league there would be no way to enforce the treaty.

But every day that the peace treaty has lagged the ominous fact has loomed bigger that if men and states and races, drifting on the seas of anarchy, went hunting long enough in vain for orderly government, went hunting long enough in vain for their very bread, there would be left no responsible authority, no organized morality, with which to make peace treaties, league or no league.

Even though men, women and children were not starving, what could more surely breed discontent than idleness. What could more violently foment hatreds, disturbances and crime than hunger among millions of human beings wanting to earn their living but unable to go back to work while the Paris conference dawdled over a league of nations weary month after month?

Manoeuvring for Mr. Wilson's league to the postponement of peace, if persisted in long enough, might throw more than Hungary and Poland into convulsions of bolshevism; it might topple the greater part of the old world off the solid foundations of government.

Get the peace treaty ready for signing. Let Europe go back to work.—New York Sun.

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WILLIAMSTOWN

Mrs. Otto Edson's Three Sons Returned from France on Agamemnon.

Three sons of Mrs. Otto Edson of Williamstown, Wagoner Clarence L. Fuller, Private Harold E. Fuller and Private Fayette M. Fuller, all of East Roxbury, who enlisted at Concord, N. H., landed in Boston yesterday on the Agamemnon, with other members of the 26th division, after many months of service overseas. Wagoner Fuller was slightly injured on Aug. 22, according to official word received by his mother, but the nature of the injuries has not been learned. He was with the 103d, while his two brothers were members of the headquarters company. All three young men will visit their mother in Williamstown as soon as permission is granted. Mrs. Edson formerly was Mrs. Etta Fuller of East Roxbury. Wagoner Fuller was incorrectly listed in Saturday's casualty list as being from Northfield.

Don't miss the sugar social at the Congregational parlors Wednesday evening. Sugar on snow, doughnuts, pickles, coffee, from 6 to 8:30. Music, war songs, old and new, readings, games. Admission, 20c—adv.

Mrs. Charles J. Blanchard returned on Saturday from a visit to her son, Bunal Cheney, of Danville.

The listers of the town, Percy J. Jeffords, Ray Flint and V. B. Savery, began work on the list last week. Women wishing to vote are reminded that a law lately passed requires that they shall take the freeman's oath and pay a poll tax and file a written request with the listers to set their poll in the grand list of the town. Copies of the law and blanks for making the request are in the hands of the listers, who will explain the particulars if desired.

Miss Doris Covell is in town for a vacation of ten days from her studies at Sargent school for physical culture in Boston. She is at present the guest of Miss Edna Waldo.

A very pleasant evening was spent in Odd Fellows hall last Friday by a mixed company of villagers, who met there at the invitation of one of the members. After playing "500" for a while, refreshment of cocoa and sandwiches were served, followed by a social hour and singing of familiar songs.

Miss Lena Thayer is with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Gallup of East Montpelier, who is quite sick.

W. B. Jones, who went to conference at St. Albans last Saturday, and Revs. John Robinson and William N. Roberts, who went earlier in the week, returned to town yesterday.

A. Richard Martin, who has had measles since coming home from Brigham academy, is now convalescent and Wayne Farnham, who is supposed to have taken the disease from him, has been sick since the middle of the week.

Schools throughout the town re-opened after a week's vacation last Monday, with the exception of the village schools, which did not open till today.

Miss Myrtle Hutchinson, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Clyde Hopkins, in Brookfield, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. L. D. Martin has returned from Boston to the Gale farm, and her niece, Miss Mona McKee, has lately spent a week with her as a vacation from teaching in South Ryegate.

Mrs. Laura L. Ainsworth and Miss Mary E. Waterman, who have been spending the winter at Hotel Barre, returned to their home in this village last week.

Chauncey Lougee, a long-time citizen of this town, passed his 85th birthday at his home on South Main street April 8. He was born in the neighboring town of Washington, on what is now route No. 2 from this office, the present owner of the farm being Alex. McFarland. He has lived in Vermont all his life, in Washington, Williamstown and Northfield, except for a year, in the state of Wisconsin, when a young man.

MORETOWN

Miss Muriel Shea of White River Junction visited her home here over Sunday.

Mrs. F. H. Shontell visited her mother, Mrs. Lilla Ward, in Marshfield last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McAllister and Miss Irene Child were in Waterbury Saturday and Sunday to attend a family gathering at the home of J. O. Haskins in honor of their son's, Corp. Curtis F. Haskins, return from service in France.

William Ward of Montpelier visited at F. H. Shontell's Sunday.

Mrs. Emily Merrill returned from Burlington Friday, where she was called last week by the death of her father.

G. H. Sleeper has purchased a Universal milking machine, as has also H. A. Bronson.

Merlin Ward of the U. S. navy returned to New York Friday.

Mrs. D. C. Turner of Montpelier recently spent several days at M. R. Childs.

W. H. Clark has traded his farm for B. S. Ward's place in the village, now occupied by M. M. Fielders.

Gerald Clark of Montpelier visited

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his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clark, the past week.

Mrs. B. F. Griffith and daughter, Miss Evelyn, were in Montpelier Friday.

Sidney Turner and Kenneth Newton were in Barre for the week end.

J. J. Tanner and family left Monday for Kenogami, P. Q., where Mr. Turner has employment in a paper mill.

Etta Neil, Florence Pappino, Marion Ward, Brooks Booth, Merrill Griffith, William Clark, Kenneth Ward and Dorcas Ward returned to Montpelier seminary Monday, after a ten days' vacation.

E. A. Pierce of Lyndon, D. R. Dwinell of East Calais, Julius Berry and B. C. Stewart of Montpelier were in town Friday to attend the burial services of Mrs. E. R. Sargent.

Paul Johnson spent the week end in Montpelier.

Margaret Goss returned to Goddard seminary Monday.

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